

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

WILLIAM J. GRADFORD,

Plaintiff,

v.

F. VELASCO, et al,

Defendant.

1:22-cv-01493 HBK (PC)

ORDER TO SUBMIT APPLICATION  
TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS*  
OR PAY FILING FEE WITHIN 30 DAYS

Plaintiff—a prisoner—initiated this action by filing a *pro se* civil rights complaint under 42 U.S.C. § 1983 on November 18, 2022. (Doc. No. 1). Plaintiff did not accompany the complaint with the \$402.00 filing fee or an application to proceed *in forma pauperis* under 28 U.S.C. § 1915.

Accordingly, it is **ORDERED**:

Within **thirty (30) days** of receipt of this order, Plaintiff shall either: (1) complete the attached application to proceed *in forma pauperis*; or (2) pay the \$402.00 filing fee. If Plaintiff fails to timely comply with this order, or request an extension by showing good cause, the undersigned will recommend the Court dismiss this case for Plaintiff's failure to comply with a court order and/or prosecute this action.

Dated: November 22, 2022

  
HELENA M. BARCH-KUCHTA

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE